to all our agricultural interests. A reference to our advertising columns will show a change in the parmership of one of our principal commercial houses, that of Green, Macfarlane & Co, Mr G W Macfarlane having purchased and succeeded to the business of the late firm, which he will continue under the firm name of G W Macfarlane & Co. We congratulate our young townsman upon his assumption of the responsibility and control of the large and important business of the late house, and wish him, most heartily, all the success in his commercial career which his flattering prospects give him good reason to anticipate. His fine business ability, tact and popularity, together with his thorough knowledge of the Island trade generally, eminently fit him for the responsible position he has assumed. Mr W L Green, the senior partner of the late firm, who has been so long connected with the commercial affairs of this port, will hereafter turn his attention to the development of his sugar interests in the Hamakus and Hilo districts-the future Bonan-

The schooner Pucokahi, (which runs on the Hans, Maus route) has been bought by Messrs W L Wilcox, C M Cooke and A F Cooke, for \$5,000, and will be continued in the same trade. Capt Clarke, late of the Pucokahi, is about to engage in sugar planting at Hana, where we wish him every success, The schooner Pato, built in Manila, and lately arrived from Oregon, has been put under the Hawaiian flag, and will go on the Kohala route, under the command of Capt Slocumb. Mr

The intermediate steamer from San Francisco is now fully due, and may be looked for to-morrow. The Wilmington, if she arrived from the southern coast previous to the 25th ult,

is the vessel expected, instead of the St Paul. The arrivals for the week have been: May I, Am bk W A Holcomb, from Baker's Island; 2, Am wh schr Newton Booth, 150 bbls, from cruise on coast of California, refits for craise north; Am bk H W Almy, from San Francisco, mdse

Departures have been: April 27, Haw wh brig Onward, for Arctic; Am 3-masted schr Una, for Humboldt; Am bktn Eureka, for San Francisco, by C Brewer & Co, domestic produce valued at \$38,659.34; Am bk Lizzie Marshall, for Port Townsend; 3, Am schr Venus, for San Francisco, by W G 1rwin & Co. domestic product valued at \$18,116.52,

#### PORT OF HONOLULU, H. I. ARRIVALS.

April 27-Schr Halcakala, Panhiwa, from Hilo, Hawaii 27.—Schr Wailele, Kalauno, from Maliko, Mani 28.—Stmr Likelike, Shepherd, from Hawaii & M S.—Schr Mary E Foster, Beck, from Kona & Kau. 50.—Schr Waiehu, Kilia, from Maliko, Maui

May 1-Am bk W A Holcomb, Dunton, 25 days from Baker's Island 2—Am whischr Newton Booth, Caughell, from cruise, with 100 bbls wh oil 2-Am bk H W Almy, Freeman, 18 days fm San Fran 2-Schr Ka Moi, Marchant, from Kahului, Maui. 2—Stmr Likelike, Shepherd, from Hawaii & Maui 2—Schr Uilama, Puaahiwa, from Kohala, Hawaii 2—Schr Waioli, Kacha, from Kohala, Hawaii 2—Schr Marion, Kiblin, from Koloa & Waimea Schr Manuokawai, Naiwi, from Hanamaulu, Kauai

#### DEPARTURES.

April 27-Schr Kulamanu, Mana, for Kohala, Hawaii. 27—Schr Mary Ellen, Kuanoni, for Hilo, Hawali. 27—Haw wh brig Onward, Smithers, for the Arctic 7-Am schr Una, Stoddard, for Humboldt 27-Am bkin Eureka, Wallace, for San Francisco 29-Schr Annie, Kalua, for Nawiliwili, Kanai 29-Schr Kekauluohi, Malaihi, for Hanalei, Kauai. 29-Sehr Jenny, Pake, for Nawiliwili, Kauai -Stmr Likelike, Shepherd, for Maui & Hawaii 20. Schr Nettie Merrill, Hatfield, for Lahaina, Maui-30-Schr Pauahi, Manu, for Kohala, Hawaii 39—Schr Haleskala, Puaahiwa, for Hilo, Hawaii 39—Schr Wailele, Kalauno, for Maliko, Maui. I-Schr Pucokahi, Twomy, for Hana, Maui. 1-Schr Mary E Foster, Beck, for Kona and Kau -Schr Waiehu, Kilia, for Maliko, Maui -Brit bktn Marama, Risdon, for Tahiti 3-Am schr Venus, Dodd, for San Francisco 3-Stmr Likelike, Shepherd, for Nawiliwili, Kauai

#### VESSELS IN PORT.

NAVAL. H B M S Daring, Commander John G J Hanmer, MERCHANTMEN. Am missionary brig Morning Star, Bray

Am bktn J A Falkinburg, Hubbard, loading Haw bk Mattle Macleay, Pope, loading Am bk Edward James, O'Brien he hk Martha Davis, Benson, loading k II W Almy, Freeman, discharging bk Iolani, Garrels, discharging WHALER.

h schr Newton Booth, Caughell sh brig W H Allen, Gilley.

RANDA. MAN, MASTER -Left San out experienced winds from then have had light winds , fine weather. Sighted the iving off Honolulu at 6 p m wed in the next morning.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO-Per II W Almy, May 3-2 calves,

EXPORTS.

#### 4655 posts, 500 redwood tiles, 10 m bricks, 150 m shingles, 2872 pkgs flour and general mdse

FOR SAN FRANCISCO-Per Eureka, April 27-FOR TAHITI-Per Marama, May 2-

FOR SAN FRANCISCO-Per Venus, May 3-

## PASSENGERS.

For San Francisco-Per Eureka, April 27-J H O'Brien, FROM WINDWARD PORTS-Per Likelike, April 28-Gov Kipi, W O Smith, wife and child, W H Halstead, M Kckino and wife, D B Mahoe, J Nawahi, L Aholo, S K Kupihea, W Love, wife and daughter, M. Pettigrew, G. Baker, W.R. Seal, Aliona, A. McLean, Miss Hempstead, Master Carter, F. Spen-cer, G. C. Williams, Rev. S. Wilber, H. L. Sheldon, F.S. Lyman and wife, H Baldwin, T Farrell, Miss M Copp, Capt Lorange and wife, A Young, G Armstrong, P Milton, Miss K Kaine, Miss E Kauhane, Kia Nahaolelna, Mrs M King, J Maiole, and

For Windward Ports-Per Likelike, April 30-H P Baldwin, Mrs Fornandez, G C Williams, Kia Nahaolelua, W P A Brewer, S Roth, G West, D D Baldwin, J Smith, R B Fetley, M Cotburn, Mr Colcord, and 44 deck FROM MARIA ISLAND-Per Newton Booth, May 2-J Small, FOR TAHITI-Per Marama, May 2-W Boosic, H Georget, Mr Wiseman, Jas Alexander

FROM WINDWARD PORTS-Per Likelike, May 2-H Ruihelanl, K Kamauoha, Capt Makee, Sam Parker, T H Davies and son, A B Gould, L Cabot, W W North, H Giles, M Colburn, Mr Brown, W H Bailey, Koki, Amu, G West. FROM SAN FRANCISCO-Per H W Almy, May 3-F A Pres-

For San Francisco-Per Venus, May 3-Miss Miller, Miss FOR NAWILIWILI-Per Likelike, May 3-S G Wilder and wife, 2 Masters Wilder, Capt Makee, W G Irwin, Mrs Brayton and son, Mrs K Piikei, Miss Jennie Scott, Capt Lorange and wife, and 20 deck

# MARRIED.

CUNMINS-MINER-At Wailuku, Maui, April 20th, by the Rev. Mr. Wilbur, Mr. Joseph Cummins to Miss Phoise Manes, all of Wailuku.

## DIED.

PRATT-At Punahou, April 24th, EDITH LOUISE, infant child of Amasa and Louise Pratt, aged 6 months and 7 days DE FREITAS-In this city, April 27, of consumption, after a 3 days. [San Francisco and New York papers please copy. GERTZ-In this city, April 29th, after a long illness, Mrs. Christina Zierke, wife of Mr. C. Gertz, aged 49 years. The deceased, native of Schwerin, Mecklenburg, has resided in Honoiula the past eight years, and was esteemed and respected. She leaves a husband, two sons and three daughters to mourn her loss. & F San Francisco papers please copy. Nicholson-In this city, at the Queen's Hospital, April 30th, Charles H. Nicholson, son of C. H. Nicholson, who was formerly a well known merchant tailor in Honolulu. This young man has been a sailor, and was on board of the U. S. S. Lancaster three years ago in South America. Through the kindness of E. H. Allen, Esq., Hawaiian Consul at New York, he was sent to the islands via Panama.

RICE BIRDS .- A correspondent from the windward side of this Island suggests that the Legislative Assembly pass some law for the systematic destruction of those pests the rice birds. They swarm in and about the rice fields and are very destructive of the ripening grain.

The Elmira (N. Y.) Daily Advertiser of April 5th, has the following in regard to a former resident, domiciled in Honolulu: "WHERE DR. TIS-DALE IS .- Dr. T. P. Tisdale will be recollected by many of our citizens as a gentleman of culture and intelligence. The Doctor left Elmira on ac-From there he went to Honolula, S. I., where he now is. We received a note from him yesterday, renewing his subscription to the Advertiser: Please send every copy, as I prize the paper very highly. Please address Drs. T. P. & C. L. Tisdale. as our son has graduated in medicine at the Hahnemann Medical College in Chicago, and will shortly join me here. My family are here and we are housekeeping. My health is much improved, and we have spent a most delightful winter. Business & good and prospects for the future are

THE PACIFIC

# Commercial Adbertiser.

SATURDAY, MAY 4. BIENNIAL REPORT OF THE MINISTER OF FINANCE.

The Report of His Excellency the Minister of Finance to the Legislative Assembly is an able document, and worthy of careful study by all who have an interest in the prosperity of the Kingdom. Besides important figures touching the financial status of the country, it abounds in suggestions and recommendations or the consideration of the Assembly which, if treated wisely by that body, will undoubtedly promote the general welfare. In our quotations

of figures we give round numbers. His Excellency's opening statement of re venue and expenditures is most favorable: the total revenue having been \$1,241,000 and expenditures, \$1,110,000, leaving a balance in the Treasury of nearly \$131,000 against a similar balance March 31, 1876, of \$89,000. The publie debt is shown as follows: On the 31st of March, 1876, it amounted to \$459,000, and at the close of the fiscal period, 1878, the sum is given at \$444,000, showing a decrease of the debt for the two years of \$15,000. The large sum of \$87,000 for interest accrues each biennial period, which we should be happy to see reduced as speedily as the means of the Treasury will allow. The great bulk of the debt, that is, \$371,000, draws interest at the rate of 9 per cent, per annum, amounting in the aggregate to over \$66,000. Nearly \$60,000 of the debt, with its accuring interest, will be extinguished during the current period. If it were feasible, we think it would be the best ned Brit bkin Marama, for Tahiti, with cattle, valued at \$3635 | policy to borrow, at a low rate of interest, sufficient money to pay off the present incumbrance which is drawing so high a rate, averaging on the whole debt over 9 per cent.

The Custom House returns for 1877 show that the value of goods imported free under the Reciprocity Treaty nearly equaled that of goods paying duty, the amount received from the latter source reaching the sum of over \$192,000. The increase of duties for 1877, over the average of the three previous years (which was \$17,000) is to be attributed to the large importations of the year in excess of the annual average consumption, and to the increased duty under the Act of 1876. It does not seem probable that such an equality of dutiable and free goods will continue in the future, alactivity in business, our increased means of ratio. buying, and an enlarged demand for foreign merchandise point out the possiblity of our duty | 1 dispatched the Hon. H. A. P. Carter as My Envoy paying imports being increased from year to year. This opinion may prove well-grounded if treaty stipulations do not stand in the way. However, he very justly says that possibilities are not a proper basis upon which to rely when providing for the income or expenses of

A large item of revenue through the Custom House is derived from direct taxes on commerce. The opinion generally prevails that taxes of this kind should be as light as possible for the facilities rendered by the Government for the convenience of commercial transactions-in fact, nearly nominal. Of course, wharves have to be provided, warehouses built for the storage of merchandise landed in bond, or in transitu, and other conveniences for the use of shipping, and it is only fair that they should pay a reasonable fee for such facilities; it is only when charges are exorbitant that objection is made by those availing themselves of the advantages

The amount of revenue derived from Stamp duties was nearly \$47,000,-certainly a very handsome item, and probably as little objectionable to those upon whom the tax was levied as any other moneys they may have paid into

The increased revenue from real estate and personal property for 1877 over the previous year amounts to over \$82,000; showing an evident improvement in the matter of assessing -which has been proverbially loose in the past. The total amount of revenue from all sources,

excepting money borrowed and school tax, for the period just closed has been \$1,078,000; and for the period ending March 31, 1876, it was \$877,000, showing a gain of over \$200,000 in favor of the term expiring on the 31st ult.

Although the revenue has increased, yet the requirements of the country have also increased, and many improvements and public works are delayed for want of means to accomplish them. His Excellency very justly considers it unwise to exceed our income for current expenses, and says that money should be borrowed only for such public works as promise through the opening up of lands, or increasing the facilities of trade, to be profitable.

The appropriation for subsidy to foreign steam

lines has been expended. The contract which was entered into with the Pacific Mail S. S. Company has been fulfilled honorably, and satisfactorily to the Government. But it seems that a permanent connection of this port with the Australian route is still an unsettled question. The Government has reason to think the present line may be withdrawn, but arrangements are in progress to organize a line of semimonthly steamers between Honolulu and San Francisco. The P. M. S. S. Company assert that their steamers, both way and terminal, have not been profitable, and that the trade alone of these islands cannot support a line of steamers. This question, we are inclined to think, is not stated fairly. The cost of additional steaming required by the deviation from the direct route lingering lilness which she bore with Christian resignation and patience, Maay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. DeFreitas; a native of the city of New York, aged 13 years, 8 months and must we think, be much more than offset by the merchandise and passenger traffic between this port and San Francisco; and if this be a fact, the lack of profit to the through line cannot be justly attributable to the ships calling here. We consider that the Company have been very fairly, and, indeed, liberally dealt with by the Government, in the way of facilities afforded, aside from the subsidy paid, which has been a generous one for us, considering our means. Its pecuniary interests will, of course, govern the Company in whatever course may be

> adopted in the future. As our space is limited, we postpone further remark upon His Excellency's interesting report

Corious showers fell throughout the day and night of Monday, and forenoon of Tuesday last. at Puuloa, Waianae, and adjacent country, sufficient for a good soaking, accompanied with lightcount of his health, locating in Oakland, Cal. | ning and thunder at night, the latter at times heavy, and coming from the direction of Kauai. indicating a heavy storm on that Island or in the channel. The lightning was observed in town. Yesterday morning and forenoon heavy rains fell on the mountains back of the city and gave a refreshing coolness to our heated atmosphere. The sky was overcast throughout the day, with indica-

tions of more rain. EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.—See fourth page

for a letter from Wailuku.

OPENING OF THE SESSION OF 1878.

PURSUANT to proclamation duly made, the Session of the Legislative Assembly for 1878 was formally opened by His Majesty the King in person at noon on Tuesday. An hour before that appointed for the ceremonies, the public began to collect at Aliiolani House, and by 12 o'clock the spacious Legislative hall was crowded with ladies and gentlemen, both of foreign and native birth, but we note the fact of a larger collection of the former class than on any previous similar occasion. In front sat the Nobles and Representatives, (a full list of whom we gave last week.) On the right of the dais were ladies of the Court, and wives of Cabinet Ministers and of government officers, and on the left the Representatives and Consuls of foreign governments and their wives, and officers of H. B. M. S. Daring. The Throne was covered with the ahu-ula, or feather cloak, the Hawaiian symbol of Royalty, and on either side three Kahili bearers, with those ancient emblems of chieftainship. In front of the building was drawn up the military in line, consisting of Companies A and B of the Hawaiian Guards, the Household Troops and the Prince's Own, all under the command of Major Chas. T. Gulick. At a few minutes before 12, His Majesty left the Palace with the Queen in the State carriage, under a salute from the battery on Punchbowl. Members of the Staff in attendence were Cols. W. F. Allen, Chas. H. Judd, Mark P. Robinson, Major G. W. Macfarlane and Capt. J. H. Boyd. As the Royal carriage entered the gates of the government house yard the band gave the national anthem and the troops presented arms. At precisely 12 o'clock the King and Queen entered the Hall, (the audience rising) and took their places on the dais, the Judges of the Supreme Court on the right and the Cabinet Ministers in front. After prayer by the Rev. M. Kuaea, His Majesty read-first in Hawaiian and afterwards in English,-the following

ROYAL SPEECH.

NOBLES AND REPRESENTATIVES: On the tenth day of April of last year it pleased Almighty God to take from Me by death My belovered brother PRINCE WILLIAM PITT LELEIOHOKU, whose promise of future usefulness to the nation was thus early terminated. He had endeared himself to the people by his intelligent interest in their welfare, and had evinced traits of character which made him a wise councilor, befitting his position as Heir I have appointed and caused to be proclaimed

My beloved sister Lydia Kamakaeha Liliuokalani as Heiress Apparent. Our Treaty of Commercial Reciprocity with the United States took effect September 9th 1876. Its operation indicates that it will be a source of mutual benefit, and that, as our productions in-

crease with the market thus afforded for them, our importations, not only from the United States, though the Minister thinks that the increased but from other countries, will increase in like The effect of this Treaty upon certain articles of the British Treaty having been called in question,

> Notice has been given, under the provision of Article 17, of My desire to terminate Article IV. of the British Treaty, to take effect July 3rd of the present year. Mr. Carter, who was also empowered to negotiate a Treaty with Germany, has not yet returned from his mission. The Finances of the Kingdom continue to be in a

Extraordinary to Great Britain, to confer with

the British Government.

of Finance will show a detailed account of Receipts and Expenditures. The administration of Justice remains able and The health of My people is a subject constantly in My mind. The recommendation of the Board of

Health to continue to enforce the measures heretofore adopted cannot safely be neglected. I request you to give this subject your earnest consideration. The Report of the Board of Immigration will show you that efforts have been made to obtain immigrants rom India, the Western Islands and Polynesia. An Electric Telegraph has been established by private enterprise on Maui, which may, I hope, be ex-

tended by cable between the Islands. The opening of Narrow-guage Railroads on Hawaii and Maui may be a subject well worthy of your attention. It is desirable that frequent changes of the Laws or the making of unnecessary new Laws should be avoided; but upon this subject, as in all your

deliberations, may you be guided by sound wisdom.

NOBLES AND REPRESENTATIVES: I now declare the Legislative Assembly of the Kingdom opened. At the close of the speech, their Majesties and suite retired in the same order as on en-

After the audience had dispersed, the House was called to order by Mr. Godfrey Brown, Clerk of the session of 1876, and immediately adjourned until Wednesday at 10 o'clock a. m. The following members were absent: His Ex. Gov. Dominis, the Honorables P. Isenberg, H. Kuihelani, and J. P. Parker, of the the Nobles; and Representatives Pilipo and Kamauoha of Kona Hawaii, and Kanealii of Wailuku, Maui.

## NOTICE.

Dissolution of Partnership!

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between W. L. Green, G. W. Macfarlane and F. T. Lenehan, doing business noder the name and style of Green, Macfarlane & Co. is this day dissolved by mutuni consent, and the business will be carried on here-after by the said G. W. Macfarlane under the firm name and style of G. W. Macfarlane & Co.
All accounts of the late firm will be settled by W. L. Green and G. W. Macfarlane & Co. W. L. GREEN, G. W. MACFARLANE,

F. T. LENEHAN. Honolulu, April 30, 1878.

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AT A MEETING OF the STOCKHOLD-ers of the WAIMANALO SUGAR COMPANY held his day, the following were chosen as Officers of the Company for the ensuing year: THOMAS CUMMINS ......President ALEX. J. CARTWRIGHT.....Secretary F. S. PRATT.....Treasurer CECIL BROWN ......Auditor

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FRANK H. PALMER.

Lock Box 92, Honolulu, H. I

[Communicated.] The National Health.

We read with some surprise the editorial in the PACIFIC COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER last week. Although we feel pained by the decrease of Hawaiians and would hail with delight any real proof of improvement, we are forced by unpleasant facts present with us to enroll ourselves among the

The number of lepers, in and about Honolulu alone, is simply appalling; and the total indifference of the authorities, is an outrage. We know of several well authenticated cases, and complaint of them has been made to the Board of Health, but that august body returns answer that they know all about these cases, but it is not policy to notice them. Cool, is it not? Government has provided a good home for these unfortunates, and we are glad to do our share in providing for them. We ask for no new or better law, but that the existing law be enforced. When a law is wanting the want may be supplied, but when a needed law is allowed to become a dead letter it is simply disgraceful. We cannot imagine what everybody is dreaming about. Our families are in imminent danger. To talk of how this horror may or may not be communicated is to waste breath. It sounds well to theorize about correct living, but cases have come to light which prove these theories wholly at fault. Why, may we be allowed to ask, are lepers al-

lowed at the Queen's Hospital? We know that it

is so, for we have seen them. When an old citizen was taken there to die not long ago, the man who sat by as his attendant was a leper. The dying man did not care, to be sure, but there is the fact and we think you will admit that it is an ugly one. We have good authority for saying also that a few weeks since a leprous woman was seen in the Hospital tending a little baby who was afflicted with a skin disease. And now, we would like to know, is there no redress? Cannot the people demand that the law be enforced? We want impartial justice. Let every leper, whatever his or her station, be removed from the community according to the law. We do feel deeply sorry for them, sorry for their isolation; but we think they need our pity more when they become so blunted as to lose all consideration for their families and friends It is not too late, but it may be before long. If the nation increases, with such an inheritance i would be better for it to die as rapidly as possible. As things are now the society Hoola Lahui is of little service. The ax must be laid at the root of the tree, or time, money and labor will be worse than wasted. Lepers live among their healthier friends and little children play about them; we hear of a leper selling oranges on the streets. Leprous dogs and pigs wander freely about; in short, the Hawaiian Islands seem in a fair way to become a thriving nation of lepers, human and brute. Kill off the mangy, loathsome dogs and pigs. Let it be understood that no number of tags will save an unhealthy dog, and that no leprous pig will be acceptable, even for sausage meat.

These measures seem to us absolutely essential to the national health, and we cannot help feeling that the citizens have every right to demand that they be carried out. Yours, etc.,

RIGHTEOUS INDIGNATION.

DROUTH AT THE AZORES .- The drouth which has prevailed in so many quarters for so long a time, seems also to bave been severely felt in the Azores, or Western Islands. We notice that by the Bark Azorean, which sailed from New Bedford March 9, for Fayal, the Portuguese residents of that city and vicinity sent a great many small parcels of corn, salt fish, etc., to their friends at the Western Islands, where there is much suffering from the drouth of the past two years, and consequent failure of crops. We are not sure, but presume the same ruthless destruction of the forests has been going on there as with us. Like causes produce like effects everywhere.

S. ROTH, MERCHANT TAILOR. 38 FORT ST.
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> CITY MARKET, J. R. BOYD, PROPRIETOR, HEAD OF MEATS DELIVERED! All Orders Promptly Attended to.

> KAPIOLANI PARK LOTS. SALE OF THE CHOICE OF LOTS AT A Kapiolani Park will take place on Saturday, at 10 o'clock a. m., May 25th, 1878. By order of the Park Association. II. MACFARLANE, Sec'y

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2 CENT AND 5 CENT HAWAIIAN for which the highest price will be puid-according to condi-

Dissolution of Co-Partnership. THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of Asee, Longawk & Co-this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. T. Assee will carry on the business under the firm name

f T. Assee, and assume all liabilities of the late firm, and also

collect all debts due to the same.

Honolulu, April 23d, 1878. ASSEE, LONGAWK & CO.

NOTICE.

IN JUSTICE TO OURSELVES, we would Tespectfully inform the public that none of the firm of Wing Wo & Co., who, in advertising their New Bakery stated "they were in our employ," were ever engaged in the Bakery Bus ness by us. Wing Wo only acted as Cook for the establish ment. And "Our" Baker is still in the employ WING CHONG TAI & CO.

FOR SALE. THE KAUPULEHU GOAT RANCH IN KONA, with 1000 Sheep and 8000 Goats. Enquire of H. COOPER, in Kallua. The SPENCER PREMISES in Walohinu. Enquire of L. TURNER, in Waiohinu.

A. S. CLEGHORN & CO.

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PROGRAMME--JUNE 11th, 1878

RACES: KAMEHAMEHA PLATE. Trotting Race to harness. Free to all horses. Mile heats

KING'S PURSE. Open to all horses. Two mile dash. To carry 118 lbs. Entrance \$20. Second horse saves stakes. Winners of previous races to carry 15 lbs extra weight.

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Two mile dash; Catch weight. Entrance \$10. All riders to appear in Jockey costume. All The Rules of the Bay District Trotting Park, San Francisco Entrances to be made to and any information may be had

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"THEED-What are the respective merits of the competing paints as to permanency and durability as an eutside The third point is dropped from competition by the Committee, after testing on the first and second points, and the report continues : "As regards the third point, the Committee took pains to inspect a number of houses where the 'Rubber' and the 'Averili' had been used, and also procured a large mount of testimony on the subject from various sources The most prominent objection to the ordinary Oil Paint, is that after a certain time, especially if exposed to the weather, it becomes brittle, cracks, and tends to scale off, at

e same time becoming more or less 'chalky' on the surf This is owing partly to an absorption of the oil by the wood, and partly to a true 'weathering out' of the dry oil from the ace, thus leaving the pigment exposed."

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apart from the pigment by the Silicate of Soda, so that even its visible covering power does not fairly represent the actual amount of protective covering given by a coat of it. From testimony collected, the committee are of opinion that it has proved itself superior to ordinary Oil Paint, in the preservation of a fair surface under exposure to the weather, both as regards the tendency to crack, and the absence of 'chalkiness'. In view of all the facts, the committee award to the 'Averill Paint' the Medal for General Excellence as a 'Mixed The following is a specimen of the thousands of testimoni-

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" MIXED PAINTS.-Your Committee has been at I should always recommend it, and should use no other myself Sania Monica, Cal. Jan 26, 1878. California Paint Co., San Francisco, Gentlemens Since our town was started, three years ago, we have observed closely, and have had an excellent opportunity of comparing the Averill Paint with White Lead and Oil, and other mixed paints. Our experience has been, that the buildings painted with White Lead and the so called Kubber Paint, have scaled off and charked, while the Averill Paint has stood firm, showing to-day as solid as ever and we have not heard a single complaint from any one of the

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Albany, Oregon, January 25, 1878. California Paint Co.,
San Francisco. Gents: My residence painted with Averill
Paint two years ago, is, to all appearance, in as good condition now as when first applied, and the Paint has proved satisfactory in every respect. I consider it the best paint for this climate that I have ever tried or seen. I can most earnestly recommend the Averill Mixed Paint to any one desir-ing an economical and durable paint. Yours truly.

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ROBERT PROST. St. Mary's Church, Gilroy, Sept. 28, 1875. California Paint Co., Gestlemen: In answer to your inquiry as to how I like your paint used on our Church over two years ago, I beg to state that it has given such satisfaction that we wish it used on all our buildings henceforth. We have had opportunities of comparing it with other qualities of paint on our premises and we decided in pronouncing in favor of the Averili Paint.
Yours with much respect,
THOMAS J. F. HUDBON, Catholic Pastor.
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the Rubber Paint, I would state that I have given them, as a consider, a fair test. In June, 1875, I received from the Civi Engineer's Office, some of the Averill Mixed Paint and some of the Rubber Paint. I put both paints side by side (three coats each) on some outide stucco work, and on examination on Sept. 15, 1877, I fine the Rubber Paint has lost its gloss and rubs off, while the Averille Mixed Paint retains its gloss and is a great deal harder, and my opinion is decidedly in favor of the Averill Paint.

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united that they cannot separate. Hence, it will never chalk, crack or peel off; does not run from

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